

Message Text

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ACTION PM-05

INFO OCT-01 NEA-11 ISO-00 MCE-00 CIAE-00 INR-10
NSAE-00 L-03 AID-05 EB-08 SS-15 TRSE-00 OMB-01
ACDA-12 HA-05 EUR-12 COME-00 SP-02 NSC-05 /095 W
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R 280500Z JUN 78
FM AMEMBASSY MANAMA
TO CHUSMTM DHAHRAN SA
USDAO ROME
INFO CDRDARCOM ALEX VA//DPSAC-MM/LA//
USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN GE//ECJ4/7-SACM//
SECDEF WASHDC
SECSTATE WASHDC 6351
AMEMBASSY JIDDA
DA WASHDC

C O N F I D E N T I A L MANAMA 1472

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MASS, BA
SUBJECT: BAHRAIN REQUEST FOR 2.75 INCH ROCKETS

REF: (A) SECDEF 4411 MSG 230005Z JUN 78
(B) MANAMA 1411 MSG 220645Z JUN 78 (NOTAL)
(C) CHUSMTM DHAHRAN MSG 271420Z DEC 77

1. REFTEL A ASKS CHUSMTM FOR DETAILS OF CONFIGURATION OF
AB212 HELICOPTERS PURCHASED FOR BAHRAIN. HOWEVER, IT IS
LIKELY THAT USDAO ROME IS IN BETTER POSITION TO GET ANSWER
FROM AGUSTA-BELL DIRECTLY.

2. REFTEL B TRANSMITTED THOSE PORTIONS OF REFTEL C
WHICH DESCRIBED CONFIGURATION OF HELICOPTERS IN
QUESTION TO CDRUSASAC, INFO, SECDEF. REFTEL B WILL
BE REPEATED SEPARATELY FYI.

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3. OUR UNDERSTANDING IS THAT BAHRAIN DEFENSE FORCE DOES
INTEND TO FIRE REQUESTED 2.75 INCH ROCKETS FROM THE
AB212 HELICOPTERS.
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Message Attributes

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